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Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly

Report of the Sixth Committee

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I. Introduction

1. The item entitled "Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly" was included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-first session of the General Assembly in accordance with Assembly resolution 58/316 of 13 July 2004.

2. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 13 September 2006, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to allocate the item to all the Main Committees for the sole purpose of considering and taking action on their respective tentative programmes of work.

3. The Sixth Committee considered the item at its 23rd meeting, on 21 November 2006 (see A/C.6/61/SR.23).

II. Consideration of draft decision A/C.6/61/L.19

4. At the 23rd meeting, on 21 November, the Chairman introduced the draft decision on the provisional programme of work for the sixty-second session of the General Assembly as proposed by the Bureau and contained in document A/C.6/61/L.19.

5. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted the draft decision on the provisional programme of work for the sixty-second session of the General Assembly (see para. 7).

6. The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement in explanation of position after the adoption of the draft decision (see A/C.6/61/SR.23).

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III. Recommendation of the Sixth Committee

7. The Sixth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Provisional programme of work of the Sixth Committee for the sixty-second session of the General Assembly

The General Assembly notes that the Sixth Committee has decided to adopt the following provisional programme of work for the sixty-second session of the General Assembly, as proposed by the Bureau.

Provisional programme of work[1]

8 October[2]	Organization of work of the Sixth Committee
	Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its fortieth session
8-9 October	Measures to eliminate international terrorism
10 October	Responsibility of States for internationally wrongful acts
11 October	Diplomatic protection
15 October	Consideration of prevention and allocation of loss
18-19 October	Administration of justice at the United Nations
22-23 October	Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization
25-26 October	Rule of law at the national and international levels
29 October-2 November and 5-9 November	Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its fifty-ninth session
12-13 November	Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission
15 November	Programme of assistance in the teaching, study, dissemination and wider appreciation of international law
	Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country
	Adoption of the provisional programme of work for the sixty-third session (see resolution 58/316, annex, para. 3 (b))
16, 17 and 24 October and 14 and 16 November	Reserved

[1] Indicating provisional dates in 2007 for debates under the respective items.

[2] Depending on the outcome of the consideration of the item entitled "Administration of justice at the United Nations" by the Sixth Committee at its resumed session in March 2007, the Committee may begin its work at the sixty-second session a week earlier.